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TITLE: STEROL PHOSPHATES USED AS DEODORANT SUBSTANCES

"Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service Mailing Label Number EL541614007US.

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Transmitted herewith is an Information Disclosure Statement ("IDS") in the above-referenced application, together with an IDC form listing all references cited and a copy of each reference.

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pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3). This required explanation of relevancy is given in the specification of the above captioned application for the following references:

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Respectfully submitted,

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